

1854

The Alabama-Coushatta Indian
Reservation on U.S. 190 between
Woodville & Livingston has existed
in Polk Co since 1854

When war of Independence between
Mexico & Texas broke out in 1836 some
Indians moved from Texas to Louisiana
to remain neutral. They returned but
had to live a nomadic for 8 years because

their lands had been confiscated.

The State established the reservation.
It has been affiliated with the
Presbyterian Church.

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Kansas-Nebraska Bill

Passed by the U.S. Congress in 1854 for the organization of Kansas and Nebraska as territories. The provisions which the bill contained for permitting the citizens of those territories to regulate slavery as they chose was a possible nullification of the Missouri Compromise of 1820 which prohibited slavery north of 36° 30'

N. latitude. It passed the Senate & House
after bitter debates and renewed the
contest of the North and South over
the slavery question.

Mar 8, 1854

U.S. Commodore Matthew C. Perry made his second landing in Japan. Within a month, he concluded a treaty with the Japanese

Feb 1854

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BLACK WARRIOR

An American merchant vessel on her way back from Mobile to N.Y. called at HAVANA, Cuba, and was seized, her cargo confiscated, and her captain fined for alleged customs violations. Spain narrowly escaped a war in consequence. The cargo was restored, the Captain's fine remitted and the vessel released.

Sept 20, 1854

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Battle of ALMA

A brilliant victory was won
on the banks of the Alma R., in
the CRIMEA by Allied British and
French forces led by RAULAN
and ST. ARNAUD, over Russians
led by MENSHIKOFF.

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A Church and Convent were
built near the present townsite
of Cleveland by Father Peter La Cour

Oct. 25, 1854

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BATTLE OF BALAKLAVA

30,000 Russians attacked the English at Balaklava, a small town in CRIMEA, hoping to gain possession of the harbor. They easily defeated the TURKS who defended part of the works, but the British troops, led by Sir COLIN CAMPBELL withstood every attack. The Russians finally retreated, but as they retained some of the ground previously occupied by

the enemy, they claimed the victory.
It was during this battle that the
famous SIX HUNDRED made their
charge

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Canada
Reciprocity treaty with the U. S.

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Year Built

Amenia

First Y M H A founded

(I believe this is Young Men's Hebrew Association)

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~~Jew Hat~~

Germany

Breslau Jewish Theological
Seminary was opened

1854

Braille

Louis Braille (1809-1852) invented a 6-dot system code for 63 characters. 2 yrs after his death it was adopted by the school he had attended.

He had been blind since he was 3

Feb 28, 1854

Modern Republican Party was
formed at Jackson, Miss. (U.S.)
to oppose extension of Slavery.

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France

France shared in the ^{Crimean} war
Against Russia.

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Treaty with Japan

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Fishing rights secured
by Treaty with Great Britain

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Republican Party was formed

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